Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 26 Feb 2021 until 23:59 on Saturday 27 Feb 2021

Forecast Issued on Friday 26 Feb 2021 at 02:08

Confidence: High for mostly settled conditions over the next few days, low for detail of cloud cover from Sunday onwards. Chance of a little light rain or drizzle early next week but low confidence in this aspect of the forecast.

Headline for Friday 26 Feb 2021: Dry and sunny, some afternoon cloud.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 26 Feb 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%

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Weather: Dry throughout with some lengthy clear or sunny periods, though some reasonably high based cloud will form over inland areas and drift across the area in the afternoon, dissipating in the evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 95%.

Visibility: Good.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	17/24 SW	20/29 SW	18/24 SW	16/22 S	20/27 SW	23/33 SW	26/38 SW
300	4/11 SW	6/14 SW	9/14 SW	10/17 S	7/15 SW	10/20 SW	11/23 SW
Valley	1/8 N	3/12 S	7/12 S	9/16 S	5/13 SW	8/18 SW	10/23 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	2/-3	3/-3	4/-2	4/-0	4/-1	4/-2	3/-4
300	2/-0	4/1	6/3	7/4	6/4	6/2	4/1
Valley	1/-1	4/2	7/6	9/7	7/6	7/4	6/2
Freezing Level*	900m	900m	1000m	1100m	1200m	1100m	1600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Forecast for Saturday 27 Feb 2021

Weather: Extensive low cloud and a little rain in the early hours. A misty start with some low cloud, this burning off through the morning to leave a dry and sunny day with light winds.

Maximum wind: Westerly 10 mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 40% in the morning in early low cloud, but all summits expected to be clear by afternoon

Visibility: Poor at first with areas of cloud down to 250 metres, this clearing through the morning. Otherwise generally good visibility

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 5 rising to 12 Celsius
At 700m: Plus 5 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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